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In re: Patent Application of Henry et al. : Group Art Unit: Not Yet
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MICROPARTICLE :
BOMBARDMENT WITH :
UNCHARACTERISED DNA :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Preliminary to examination of the above-identified application, and prior to the calculation of fees, please amend the application as follows:

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 1-21 and add in place thereof claims 22-42. Newly added claims 22-42 are attached hereto on two separate sheets.

REMARKS

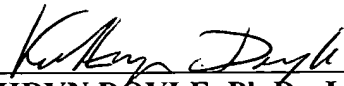
Newly added claims 22-42 merely represent amended original claims 1-21 which now conform to US claim format. Thus, no new matter has been added by way of this amendment.

Favorable examination of claims 22-42 is earnestly requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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